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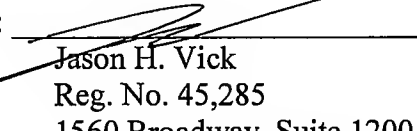
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In an Office Action dated May 7, 2009, the Examiner issued a Restriction Requirement with regard to the above-identified patent application. Generally, the Examiner indicated that Claims 73-78 and 86-87 (Group I), and Claims 79-85 (Group II) were distinct inventions. Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Claims 79-85 (Group II) in this patent application. However, Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue Claims 73-78 and 86-87 (Group I) in a subsequent divisional/continuation application.

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